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ADDRESS REPLY TO
CHIEF OF ENGINEERS, U. S. ARMY
WASHINGTON, D. C.

WAR DEPARTMENT
OFFICE OF THE CHIEF OF ENGINEERS
WASHINGTON

REFER TO FILE NO. GE 601.1 (Boeing Aircraft Co., Seattle, Wash.) SPELA


January 8, 1943

SUBJECT: Acquisition of Land, Boeing Aircraft Factory Training School,
Seattle, Washington.

TO : The Commanding General of the Services of Supply.

1. There is a military necessity for the acquisition of land as indicated under subject above and described more in detail in paragraph 2, below.
2. Description of land, and other pertinent data, are as follows:
 - a. **BRIEF DESCRIPTION OF LAND:** Located immediately northwest of Boeing Field, King County Airport, Seattle, Washington, as shown on the attached map.
 - b. **PROPOSED USE:** Housing facilities at the Boeing Aircraft Training School.
 - c. **ACREAGE INVOLVED:** Approximately 18.83 acres of land.
 - d. **IMPROVEMENTS:** Valued at \$4,000, consisting of buildings incidental to the operation of a nursery.
 - e. **ESTIMATED COST:** \$33,200.
 - f. **METHOD OF ACQUISITION:** Fee simple title by purchase or condemnation.
3. The determination of a military necessity is based upon the approval of the Commanding General, Army Air Forces, as reflected in the attached memorandum of the Operations Branch, Construction Division, Office of the Chief of Engineers, dated October 2, 1942, and upon attached construction directive dated July 23, 1942.
4. Funds for this purpose are contained in Public 528, 77th Congress, approved April 28, 1942, Project N-25.2.
5. It is recommended that the Under Secretary of War be informed that a military necessity exists for the above-mentioned acquisition and that he be requested to authorize this office to acquire the land necessary for this project.

For the Chief of Engineers:

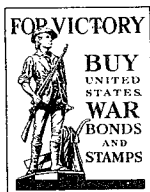

THOMAS M. ROBINS,
Major General,
Assistant Chief of Engineers.

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#1-Memo. 10-2-42 w/4 Incls.

#2-Ltr. 11-18-42 w/4 Incls. & 1 Incl.

#3-Declaration of Taking 12-28-42



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War Department, Headquarters, Services of Supply, January 8, 1943
TO: The Under Secretary of War.

1. The Secretary of War directs that you be informed that a military necessity exists for the acquisition of the land referred to in the basic communication.

For the Commanding General:

F. M. Smith
Col. G. S. C.
For and in the absence of Gen. Styer
W. D. STYER,
Major General, G. S. C.,
Chief of Staff.

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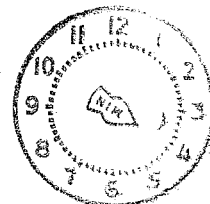
Office of the Under Secretary of War, January 8, 1943
TO: Chief of Engineers.

For acquisition of land in accordance with Section VII,
Circular No. 47, W. D. 1942.

By direction of the Under Secretary of War:

Marion Rushton
MARION RUSHTON,
Colonel, J. A. G. D.,
Assistant Executive.

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